



Scoil Bhride
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16th September 2026
Dear Parents/Guardians

Money outstanding for additional requirements

All monies for additional requirements by now should be paid. Many thanks to those who have paid fully and on time as this allows us to purchase the necessary resources needed to give your child the best chance possible in their learning this year.

Online payments

If you have not received any link for paying for items online please let the school office know your child's name and class and what online payment you wish to make and a new online link will be sent to you.

Thank you parents !!!!



As we draw to the close of a busy month back to school may we take this opportunity to say thank you for all your wishes of goodwill and appreciation to our hard-working staff. Thank you for your involvement in your child's education at home. We greatly appreciate your efforts at home in reinforcing the learning we give your children every day. We cannot thank you enough for the important work you do in reading to your child, monitoring their homework and discussing expectations regarding conduct and citizenship, hard work and perseverance, resilience and self-reliance, all crucial skills for a successful life. We, parents and teachers, are all on the same team trying to ensure that your child succeeds in education. We cannot stress to you enough how valuable you are to this mission and to our school community. Thank you for having them ready for school every day with uniforms, equipment and lunches. Thank you for getting them into school and on time every day. It's tough going but it will be so worth it in the end. So, thank you, and well done on an amazing job.

Swimming

A six-week course of swimming classes in K-Leisure Athy for 5th class started on September 2nd. Details regarding payment from parents issued last week

A six-week course of swimming in K-Leisure Athy for all other senior classes will start as follows:

3rd class – November 4th 2026

6th class – January 6th 2027

4th class – April 14th 2027

Parents Association

On Monday September 28th 2026 @ 8pm the Parents Association is holding its AGM in the school library. All welcome.

CLOTHES COLLECTION

ACCEPTING 'GOOD QUALITY' ITEMS FOR RE-USE:

Men's, Ladies & Children's clothing, Paired shoes, Bedsheets, Towels, Handbags, Hats, Bags, Scarves, Ties, Belts & Soft toys

DROP TO NURNEY BALL ALLEY
opposite the school

Thursday 15th October 9-9.30am
& Friday 16th October 9-9.30am

No bags will be accepted after this date

Fundraising for
Scoil Bhride
Nurney



COLLECTIONS BY
Textile Drive Ltd
Contact:
085 1983353

Not accepted:

Duvets, Blankets, Pillows & cushions, Charity shop items, Carpets, rugs, Mats (including bath, shower and toilet mats), Soiled, painted, ripped or wet clothing, School uniforms with and without logo, Corporate clothing & workwear, Textile off cuts, yarns or threaded material

What is the Parents Association all about?

For all the information you need about a Parents Association, its role, its function, how it contributes to school life and how you can get involved please visit the following link:

www.nurneyns.com/parents-association

Dates for your diary

- Welcome back to school mass – details to be confirmed
- School Photographer – October 2nd 2026
- Halloween Closure – School closed October 26th to October 30th inclusive.
- Annual School Book Fair –booked for Spring 2027
- 4th Class Annual Cycle Safety Training Course – an eight-week course for 4th class started Monday September 7th. Details regarding payment from parents issued last week
- **School closed on Wednesday May 5th 2027 for all pupils as staff must attend a Department of Education training day on the New Primary Curriculum Framework.**

Wednesday Note and school information also available

on www.nurneyns.com

Thank you for your co-operation with the above.

Dr. Vinny Thorpe – Principal

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